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Commissioner:

Responsive to the Final Office action dated July 2, 2008, please re-examine and reconsider the above-identified application according to the remarks provided in this paper.

**No claim amendments** are filed herein. A complete listing of pending claims provided for the Examiner's benefit begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.